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PATENT APPLICATION
Docket No. 15420.49.1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of	Gerald Nelson)
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Serial No.:	10/788,799) Art Unit
) Not Assigned
Filed:	February 27, 2004)
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For:	Incline Assembly with Cam)
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Examiner:	Not Assigned)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Please amend paragraph 0001 of the specification as follows:

[0001] This application is a Continuation-in-Part Application of United States Patent Application Serial No. 09/496,569, filed February 2, 2000, and entitled "Hiking Exercise Apparatus," to Cutler, et al., which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. This application also claims priority to and the benefit of United States Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/542,437, filed on February 6, 2004, and entitled "Incline Motor with Cam Assembly", to Gerald Nelson, which is incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.

Dated this 28th day of June, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

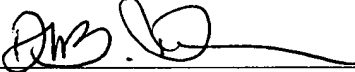
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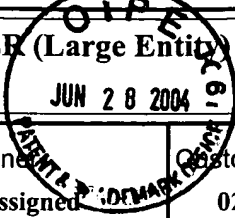
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